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QUOTE OF THE DAY

"The mediator of the inexpressible is the work of art." – Johann Wolfgang von Goethe

"Works of art make rules but rules do not make works of art." – Claude Debussy

"I wish to write down my musical dreams in a spirit of utter self-detachment. I wish to sing of my interior visions with the naïve candour of a child. No doubt, this simple musical grammar will jar on some people. It is bound to offend the partisans of deceit and artifice. I foresee that and rejoice at it." – Claude Debussy

"A word is dead when it is said, some say. I say it just begins to live that day." – Emily Dickinson

"And what, you ask, does writing teach us? First and foremost, it reminds us that we are alive and that it is gift and a privilege, not a right. We must earn life once it has been awarded us. Life asks for rewards back because it has favored us with animation. So while our art cannot, as we wish it could, save us from wars, privation, envy, greed, old age, or death, it can revitalize us amidst it all." – Ray Bradbury

"Any fool can criticize, condemn, and complain --- and most fools do." – Dale Carnegie

VIDEO OF THE DAY

[When the last show isn't the last show: Oak Street Ramblers contemplate the future](#)
Wisconsin State Journal
August 27

"Portrait of the Past" - A Short Film
Marcus Performing Arts Center

Also
B-Free & Quinten Farr – "Foliage" Behind The Scenes
Marcus Performing Arts Center

VIDEO | Highlights of 2021 Art & Chalk Fest at Museum of Wisconsin Art
Washington County Insider

Also
VIDEO | Hartford teen wins People's Choice Award at 2021 MOWA Art & Chalk Fest
Washington County Insider

Wisconsin artists and arts organizations, do you have video that you'd like us to consider sharing as the Wisconsin Arts News Video of the Day? Send the link to artsboard@wisconsin.gov!

TOP WISCONSIN NEWS

FROM THE WISCONSIN ARTS BOARD

NEW Demographic Characteristics of U.S. Business-Owners in the Arts
National Endowment for the Arts

NEW Wisconsin Humanities: More than \$422,000 in recovery funds awarded to 52 nonprofits
WisBusiness.com

NEW National Endowment for the Arts Strategic Plan FY 2022-2026 – Call for Public Input!
National Endowment for the Arts
Deadline: September 3

A Message to the Field from the Board of Directors of Americans for the Arts: Report to the Field on the Task Force for Racial and Cultural Equity
Americans for the Arts

Delta's Here. Is It Time For Cultural Entities to Require Masks Again? (DATA)
Know Your Own Bone | Colleen Dilenschneider

Creative Arts Therapy - Promoting Health and Community for Veterans
US Department of Veterans Affairs

NEH Announces \$28.4 Million for 239 Humanities Projects Nationwide
National Endowment for the Humanities

The Wisconsin Arts Board congratulates the [Wisconsin recipients](#): Fond du Lac County Historical Society; Lawrence University, Appleton; State Historical Society, Madison; UW-Madison; and UW-Oshkosh.

[\\$53 Million Initiative Offers Much-Needed Support for Arts Organizations of Color](#)

The Wallace Foundation

August 24 | Session 1: Establishing Tour Readiness

October 7 | Session 2: Continuing the Conversation

[ARPA State Fiscal Recovery Fund Allocations](#)

National Conference of State Legislatures

[NEW NCN Articles of Interest | August 20, 2021](#)

National Creativity Network

Wisconsin Artists and Arts Organizations: Participate in the New COVID-19 Impact Surveys Today! (links below)

Americans for the Arts and Artist Relief

[COVID-19 Impact Survey for Organizations](#)

[COVID-19 Impact Survey for Artists](#)

[2021 Marketplace Re-opening Materials](#)

Covering Wisconsin

Need health insurance but don't know where to turn? Covering Wisconsin can help.

[Shuttered Venue Operators Grants - FAQ \(sba.gov\)](#)

US Small Business Administration

More information on the Shuttered Venue Operators Grants (SVOG) can be found on the SBA website: [Shuttered Venue Operators Grant \(sba.gov\)](#).

[ANALYSIS: COVID-19's Impacts on the Arts and Culture](#)

COVID-19 RSFLG Data and Assessment Working Group

For resources to help you move through this current crisis, please check out our [COVID-19 and the arts in Wisconsin webpage](#)

Job Opportunities

[Job Opportunity | Marketing & Communications Manager](#)

Birch Creek Music Performance Center

Deadline: Until Filled

[Job Opportunity | Director of Education](#)

Arts + Literature Laboratory

Deadline: Until Filled

[Job Opportunity | Collections Manager](#)

Leigh Yawkey Woodson Art Museum

Deadline: Until Filled

[Careers](#)

gener8tor

Deadline: Various

Deadlines | Resources | Events

[Covid-19 Relief Grant](#)

CERF+

Through August 31

[Blue Star Museums Nationwide Offer Free Admission to Military Families](#)

National Endowment for the Arts

Through September 6

[USArtists International](#)

Mid Atlantic Arts Foundation

Deadline: September 9, 2021 for projects taking place between December 15, 2021 and December 14, 2022.

Deadline: December 1, 2021 for projects taking place between March 15, 2022 and March 14, 2023.

Deadline: March 30, 2022 for projects taking place between July 1, 2022, and June 30, 2023.

[Save the Dates: 2021 National Arts in Education Week](#)

Americans for the Arts

September 12 – 18

[Apply for The 2022 Joyce Awards](#)

The Joyce Foundation

Deadline: September 13 (Letter of Inquiry)

[Call for Proposals | Inaugural year-long 2022-23 Interdisciplinary Artist-in-Residence Teaching \(IART\) program](#)

UW Madison Division of the Arts

Deadline: September 13

[Virtual Gathering](#)

Arts Education Partnership

September 14 – 15

Also

[A Look Behind the Scenes of the 2021 AEP Virtual Gathering](#)

ArtsEd Amplified | Arts Education Partnership

September 14 - 15

2021 AIGA Design Conference

AIGA

September 20 – 24

Announcing the GIG Fund

Arts Midwest

Deadline #2: October 5 for projects happening January through June, 2022

2021 NDEO Virtual National Convention

National Dance Education Organization

October 7 – 10 | Virtual Event

Ethno USA 2021

Ethno

October 9 – 20 | Asheville, NC

2021 Emerging Program Institute | Virtual

Alliance for Artist Communities

October 11 – 23

Statewide Diversity Conference to Be Held in Eau Claire

Volume One Magazine

October 12 – 13

Wisconsin Humanities Recovery Grants

Wisconsin Humanities

Second deadline: October 15

Learning From Arts Alumni: Supporting Careers and Addressing Inequities

2021 SNAAP Online Research Symposium

October 20 – 23

NACEDA Summit 2020

National Alliance of Community Economic Development Associations

October 21 – 23

2021 Wisconsin Science Festival

Wisconsin Science Festival

October 21 – 24

Save the NEW Date!

Convention, Sports & Entertainment Facilities Conference

October 28 – 29 | San Diego

Congressman Steil announces youth app contest; Nov. 1 entry deadline

Kenosha News

Deadline: November 1

2021 Conference

Association of Midwest Museums

November 1 – 5 | Virtual

Sharing Stories: The Case for Art

Alliance for the Arts in Research Universities

November 3 - 5 | Online

Conference proposals are due by May 21.

CODASummit: The Intersection of Art, Technology and Place

CODAworx

November 10 – 12 | Scottsdale, AZ & Virtual

Sustain Dane Summit

Sustain Dane

November 18

Nō Studios Artist Grant: Grants for Wisconsin Creatives

Nō Studios

- **Other Creative Professionals** (Theater/Dance/Performance/Spoken Word/Fashion)
- Applications must be received by **December 10, 2021**. Grant awardees will be selected in February 2022.

2022 Wisconsin Governor's Conference on Tourism

Wisconsin Department of Tourism

March 13 – 15, 2022

Online Workshops and Conversations

Creative Capital

Various

IN THE NEWS

Visual Arts/Museums

Green Bay Mayor debuts new mural to support LGBTQ community

WBAY.com

Close knit: East side crafters welcome new yarn shop Fiddlesticks Knits

The Capital Times

Chuck Close, Creator Of Gigantic Portraits, Has Died At 81

Obituaries | NPR

Also
[Chuck Close's Uneasy, Inevitable Legacy](#)
The New York Times

[Virginia Center for the Creative Arts Invites Applications for Fellowships](#)

PND by Candid

Deadline: September 15

[Quick Study: Drawing and Brain Plasticity](#)

Measure for Measure | ArtsJournal.com

[Why Teachers Want Virtual Field Trips to Stay](#)

American Alliance of Museums

[Virtual Programs for Children—What Do Parents Want Now?](#)

American Alliance of Museums

Arts and Creativity in Education

[Educators Inspire Saxophonist to Mentor Others](#)

Milwaukee Youth Symphony Orchestra

['I Feel Like An Actual Jedi': Wisconsin Student Builds His Own Lightsaber, Wins National Award](#)

Central Time | Wisconsin Public Radio

[Heat Your Child's Curiosity – Create A Bottle Thermometer!](#)

PBS Wisconsin

[Les Paul Foundation Invites Applications for Music Programs](#)

PND by Candid

Deadline: September 15

Community Arts

[Green Bay Mayor debuts new mural to support LGBTQ community](#)

WBAY.com

Literary Arts/Libraries

['There's no one way to be a writer' | Get to know Racine's Writers-in-Residence over the years](#)

Kenosha News

[Library staff felt 'threatened' after GOP candidate complained about Pride Month display](#)

La Crosse Tribune

[Barton Smock | Soonisms](#)
Poem-a-Day, Poets.org

Media Arts

[Film crew in downtown Kaukauna this week](#)
Kaukauna Community News

[Northwest Film Forum Invites Applications for Of A Certain Age Grant Program](#)
PND by Candid

Deadline: September 7

Performing Arts

Music

['I would die if he would do it': Justin Vernon and Taylor Swift – a pop friendship for the ages](#)
Independent

[How Aretha Franklin asserted control over her career, paving the way for female musicians](#)
Salon

[Don Everly, Who Helped Set Standard for Pop Harmony as Half of the Everly Brothers, Dies at 84](#)
Variety

[Tom T. Hall, Country Hall of Famer Known for 'I Love' and 'Harper Valley PTA,' Dies at 85](#)
Variety

[The Benefit of Musical Training on the Aging Brain](#)
The Science of Choice | Psychology Today

Theater

[Podcast E.184: Grey Area Productions | Theatre Company](#)
La Crosse Local

Other

[Don't Skip Gen X: Why Believing Certain Myths May Cause Your Nonprofit To Miss Out](#)
NonProfit Pro

WHEN YOU GO

Visual Arts/Museums

[Gallery in an empty bagel shop - Sister Isabel Rafferty is new to curating, but not to the lessons of art](#)

Isthmus

Through September 5

[Q&A: Dr. Carolyn L. Mazloomi, Curator Of 'Racism: In The Face Of Hate We Resist' Quilt Exhibit](#)

PBS Wisconsin

September 9 – 11

Arts and Creativity in Education

[TEDxUW-Green Bay 2021 Speakers Announced](#)

UW-Green Bay News

October 21

Literary Arts/Libraries

[Kenosha Public Library Hosting Cultural Events](#)

Kenosha.com

August 25, 26, 28, 30

Media Arts

[Michelle Williams 'Getting Real' at Milwaukee Film's Cultures & Communities Festival](#)

Shepherd Express

September 8

[Milwaukee Film: Hispanic Heritage Month celebrated](#)

Fox6 News

September 15 – October 15

Performing Arts

Music

[West Shore Chorale Invites Community Members to Join Rehearsals Begin in September](#)

UW-Green Bay News

Tuesdays, beginning September 7

Presenting

[The unsinkable Molly Tuttle: Guitarist-vocalist barnstorms Wisconsin](#)

The Capital Times

Various

OPPORTUNITIES

August 2021 Opportunities: Open Calls, Residencies, and Grants for Artists

Colossal

Deadlines: Various | August

Artist Opportunities with Upcoming Deadlines in July and August, 2021

Creative Capital

Deadlines: Various | August

Covid-19 Relief Grant

CERF+

Through August 31

NEW Fall Workshops—September

Creative Capital

Various | September

Allow Irvine Park to Inspire Your Artistic Vision With This New Contest

Volume One Magazine

Through December 31 | Create

September 1 – January 14 | Submit

Plant the Seed. Inspire Through Eco-Art Competition 2022.

Earth X

Online submissions through January 24, 2022

The Greater Milwaukee Foundation's Mary L. Nohl Fund for Individual Artists Suitcase

Export Fund Launches Summer Funding Cycle

Urban Milwaukee

Until the funds for this cycle are exhausted

RJE Sprout Fund Invites Proposals From Artists Working With Underserved Communities

PND by Candid

Deadline: Rolling

Call for Artwork

Northeast Wisconsin Technical College

Monthly Review

Foundation accepts grant applications

Baraboo News Republic

Deadline: August 31

Ucross Foundation Accepting Applications for Spring 2022 Artist Residencies

PND by Candid

Deadline: September 1

Samuel H. Kress Foundation Accepting LOIs for Conservation Grants

PND by Candid

Deadline: September 1

NEW Northwest Film Forum Invites Applications for Of A Certain Age Grant Program

PND by Candid

Deadline: September 7

Beyond Ramps: Accessibility for Artist Residencies

Alliance for Artist Communities

September 8

Bohemian Foundation Introduces New Fund to Support Community in Music

PND by Candid

Deadline: September 9

USArtists International

Mid Atlantic Arts Foundation

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Deadline: March 30, 2022 for projects taking place between July 1, 2022, and June 30, 2023.

Wisconsin Historical Society: Seeks artist proposals for new traveling exhibit

WisBusiness.com

Deadline: September 10

UW–Madison Division of the Arts Announces a major change to the Interdisciplinary Arts Residency Program

UW-Madison Division of the Arts

Deadline: September 13

Apply for The 2022 Joyce Awards

The Joyce Foundation

Deadline: September 13 (Letter of Inquiry)

Call for Proposals | Public Art

City of Lewiston, Maine

Deadline: September 14

NEW Les Paul Foundation Invites Applications for Music Programs

PND by Candid

Deadline: September 15

NEW Virginia Center for the Creative Arts Invites Applications for Fellowships

PND by Candid

Deadline: September 15

2021 All-National Honor Ensembles

National Association for Music Education

Deadline: September 15

In her name: Amanda Gorman Award honors high school poets

WI Proud, AP

Begins October 1; Submission Deadline: February 1

Call for Submissions | 2022 Wisconsin Artists Biennial

Museum of Wisconsin Art and Wisconsin Visual Artists

Deadline: October 1

YoungArts Welcomes Applications for 2022 YoungArts Award Competition

PND by Candid

Deadline: October 15

Graham Foundation for Advanced Studies in the Fine Arts Invites Applications

PND by Candid

Deadline: September 15

Library Grants for National Leadership, Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Programs Now Open

Institute of Museum and Library Services

Deadline: September 24

Essentia Health seeks artists for Vision Northland project

Brainerd Dispatch

Deadline: October 1 | Artists must reside in or have ties to Minnesota, northern Wisconsin, or North Dakota

Roy W. Dean Grant Application

From the Heart Productions

Fall Grant Deadline – October 31

Nō Studios Artist Grant: Grants for Wisconsin Creatives

Nō Studios

- **Other Creative Professionals** (Theater/Dance/Performance/Spoken Word/Fashion)
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Amphion Foundation Invites Applications From Non-Performing Musical Organizations

PND by Candid

Deadline: December 13

Beyond Words: the Dollar General School Library Relief Fund

Awards & Grants | American Library Association

Deadline: None. Monthly Review

Open Grant Solicitations

Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs | US Department of State

Various

Do you want people throughout Wisconsin to know about your upcoming arts events or opportunities? Then enter your calendar information on Portalwisconsin.org. Portalwisconsin.org is an online resource, to search, schedule, and discover Wisconsin's arts, culture, humanities, and history. The site features a calendar, searchable options by interest area and geographic regions, digital media, classes, chats, and monthly highlights.

Agencies interested in posting information should go to www.portalwisconsin.org/participate.cfm

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